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Mr. Andreas Chrysostomou
Chairman of the Assembly
International Mobile Satellite Organization
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Dear Mr. Chrysostomou:

The International Mobile Satellite Organization (IMSO) has a proud tradition starting from its early days of being the operator of the original global maritime satellite system, to its vital role today to ensure the observance by Inmarsat plc of key principles and public service obligations. I have been fortunate to have been deeply involved in the organization's activities for many years, including nearly a decade as a formal Party representative.

Throughout my association with the IMSO I have endeavored to be open-minded, fair, and trustworthy. Working with my counterparts from the other IMSO Parties, I have sought to establish policies that will help to promote the availability of advanced communications worldwide, particularly including capabilities for distress and safety communications at sea.

With my nomination to be the director of the IMSO, I am eager for the opportunity to continue my efforts to see that the IMSO remains true to its mission, efficient in its use of resources, and responsive to the Parties' interests. If I am chosen by the Parties, I will faithfully lead the organization in fulfillment of these objectives.

I look forward to discussing with Party representatives priorities and expectations for the future of the IMSO.

Sincerely,

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